

## Why Measles May Be Dangerous

This is No. 3 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's Vapo-Rub may be of value in this condition.

Few of us escape measles—it is one of the commonest of childhood diseases. Every mother knows the symptoms, but the mistake that most mothers make is in failing to realize that the child is not fully recovered after the eruption and fever disappear. The air passages are still inflamed and if this inflammation is not cleared up, the air passages may be weakened, thus paving the way for pneumonia or serious disease of the lungs.

Nightly applications of Vick's Vapo-Rub will aid nature in relieving this inflammation. Because Vick's acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vick's are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long,

bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas. Children's digestions are delicate—easily disturbed by too much "dosing." Vick's, therefore, is particularly recommended since it is externally applied and so can be used often and freely without the slightest harmful effects.

Vick's should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vick's the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vick Chemical Company, 233 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

30c  
60c  
\$1.00

# VICK'S

Your Bodyguard Against Colds

More Than 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

## AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS

### HOW TO PREVENT GARLIC FLAVOR IN MILK.

Spring pasture usually means more milk but it frequently also means "garlic milk." The garlic flavor should be prevented. The best way to prevent garlic flavor in milk is to keep it out.

This at the start would seem quite difficult for garlic or wild onion is quite common in some of our New England pastures. A little care and management, however, will readily overcome this flavor in milk, says R. C. Fisher of the Dairy Department at Connecticut Agricultural College, Storrs. In pastures where garlic occurs only in small patches the patches should be fenced off. These small areas can then be pastured with animals not producing milk, such as young stock or sheep.

Occasionally there is a pasture in which garlic is scattered all over the field and in such it is impossible to keep the cows away from it. Prevention of the objectionable flavor in milk, or at least reducing it to a minimum, may then be accomplished by taking the cows from this pasture at least four hours before milking them. For example, allow the herd to graze in the garlic pasture in the forenoon. At noon turn them into a pasture free from garlic. If such is not available then keep the cows in the barn yard until milking time. This procedure prevents the cows from eating very much of the garlic and allowing time for it to work off before they are milked in the evening.

### WILL PUSH MARKETING.

William H. Darrow, of the U. S. Bureau of Markets, has been named as extension specialist in Marketing at Connecticut Agricultural College, at Storrs. Mr. Darrow is a graduate of Cornell University, with the degree of M. S., where he specialized in pomology. Mr. Darrow owns a large fruit farm in Vermont, but for the past three years has been in the employ of the United States Bureau of Markets. He has had experience in public market problems in various sections of the country and organized the city market reporting service in New England during the war. He was the first city market reporter in New England, having served in that capacity in Providence market in 1917.

Mr. Darrow will be attached to the office of I. G. Davis, field agent in marketing for Connecticut. According to Mr. Davis, Mr. Darrow will devote his time largely to perfecting the work of the market information service.

### FUMIGATING WILL RID POULTRY HOUSES OF VERMIN.

The following method of ridding hen houses of mites and lice, when the weather conditions are such as to permit of the birds being kept outside the house for five or six hours is recommended by poultry specialists in the United States Department of Agriculture.

Close all the doors and windows and see that there are no cracks or any other openings to admit air. Set an iron vessel or gravel or sand near the center of the house. Place in the vessel a handful of shavings or straw saturated with kerosene and on these sprinkle sulphur at the rate of about one pound to every 50 or 100 square feet of floor space. Instead of using the shavings and kerosene, the sulphur may be saturated with wood alcohol.

When everything is in readiness, light the material and hastily leave the building. In case any anxiety is felt about fire, a glance through a window will show whether everything is all right. There is very little danger of fire when proper precautions have been taken to have plenty of soil beneath the vessel. After three or four hours, throw all the doors and windows wide open to drive out the sulphur fumes thoroughly. Then let them in one by one. As each enters catch it and dust it well with insect powder, which will destroy the

lice on the birds. Tobacco dust is also good to use instead of insect powder. The birds and house have now been freed from vermin for the present, but the eggs of the insects have not been destroyed, and in a week another swarm will be hatched out. Therefore it will be necessary to repeat the operation once or twice before the pests are exterminated. After this care should be used to see that no strange fowl is admitted to the house or yard without having been thoroughly rid of lice, for one lousy hen will contaminate all the rest.

### TIME DIFFERENT EGGS TAKE FOR INCUBATION.

The period of incubation varies with species of poultry. Hens' eggs require 21 days; pheasant, 22 to 24 days; duck, 28; Muscovy duck, 33 to 35; turkey, 28; peafowl, 28; guinea, 26 to 28; ostrich, 42; goose, 30 to 34. Conditions also affect incubation so that in some cases a hatch may run one or two days over, due to a accident during incubation or to a low temperature throughout that period, while, on the other hand, the period may end earlier. If through any accident the eggs are chilled or over-heated, it is advisable to continue the hatch, testing the eggs after a few days to determine the extent of the damage, says Department of Agriculture poultry specialists. Chickens have been hatched from eggs left out of the incubator all night, as well as from eggs which have been subjected to a temperature of over 110 degrees F. for a short time.

### ASHFORD

The May meeting of the Ashford Welfare association was held Saturday afternoon at Baker's hall, Warrenville and scored another success for this young community organization. In spite of a very stormy forenoon, and the bad condition of the roads, there were 78 persons in attendance for the afternoon meeting, representing all parts of the town.

The program was under the auspices of the Windham county farm bureau. The first speaker was Frank L. Davis, the new county agent, and he made a very favorable impression. Mr. Davis is of pleasing address and talks in a very practical, sensible way about present day farm problems. He described the work of the Windham county farm bureau in several of the towns, especially Woodstock and Pomfret, and pointed out the value of co-operative effort and interchange of experience. He told how the farm bureau brings practical suggestions to each of its members, especially through the monthly bulletin.

Miss M. E. Weeding, home demonstration agent, described the work of the bureau to help on the housekeeping side, and said that she also was ready to co-operate personally with the homemakers of Windham county to make their practical plans of the bureau available to them.

As a result of the meeting, 15 new members of the bureau were secured from Ashford. Fred Warner of Providence, district manager for the New England Milk Producers' association, gave an intimate, heart-to-heart talk to the Ashford farmers on the milk problem, pointing out that the failure in these days of the milk producers to get back their money, much less make a fair living, is resulting disastrously to everybody, and it is about

## RING'S

### THAYER BLDG.

LARD  
PURE WHITE  
4 lbs. 95c

EGGS  
FRESH  
VERMONT  
Dozen 50c

P. & S. WHITE  
NAPHTHA  
SOAP  
6 bars 49c

NICELY CURED  
CORNED BEEF  
lb. .... 12 1/2c

LEAN BEEF FOR  
POTTING, lb. . 15c

RED SALMON  
can ..... 38c

ROLLED OATS  
3 lbs. .... 19c

WHITE ROSE  
COCOA, box . 25c

MILK CRACKERS  
lb. .... 19c

N. B. C. COOKIES  
Package ..... 15c

ROUND STEAK  
lb. .... 32c

TENDER YEARLING  
LIVER, lb. 14c

MEATY PRUNES  
2 lbs. .... 39c

CRISCO  
Can ..... 35c

MACARONI  
2 lbs. .... 25c

WHITE BEANS  
2 lbs. .... 18c

ROLLED OATS  
3 lbs. .... 19c

LINK SAUSAGE  
lb. .... 23c

LEAN PORK  
CHOPS, lb. .... 33c

JERSEY ASPARAGUS,  
lb. .... 45c

HEAD LETTUCE  
Head ..... 20c

MESSINA LEMONS  
Dozen ..... 19c

SEEDLESS  
RAISINS, lb. . 31c

TAPIOCA  
2 lbs. .... 25c

NATIVE VEAL TO  
ROAST, lb. .... 38c

CUTLETS, lb. . 55c

CHOPS, lb. .... 45c

YEARLING LAMB  
LEGS, lb. .... 30c

FORES, lb. .... 22c

LOINS, lb. .... 28c

PURITAN  
FLOUR  
1-3 Bbl. Sack  
\$1.95

### ANDOVER

A May basket social was held at the town hall Saturday evening by the young people.

The Christian Endeavor society of North Coventry visited the Andover C. E. society Sunday evening.

Several new families have just moved to town, coming from New York and East Hartford, so the rents are pretty well taken again.

The eclipse Sunday night was watched by a number of people here.

Mrs. Howard Green with her children

of Versailles visited most of last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Connors.

The C. E. society of Andover is to go to Willimantic next Sunday night to hold a meeting with the C. E. society there.

The man who figures in an explosion begins at the bottom and goes up.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

## When Children are Sickly

are Constipated, Feverish, Cry out in their sleep, Take cold easily, Have Headaches, Stomach or Bowel trouble, Try

**MOTHER GRAY'S  
SWEET POWDERS  
FOR CHILDREN**

They are pleasant to take and a certain relief. They act on the Stomach, Liver and Bowels and tend to correct intestinal disorders. 10,000 testimonials from mothers and friends of little ones telling of relief. No mother should be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for use when needed. Ask today. At Druggists. The need of them often comes at inconvenient hours.

Used by Mothers for over thirty years.  
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